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REPORTS, IS NOT AS OPTIMISTIC AS THE U.S. REGARDING
SAUDI WILLINGNESS TO ALLOW THE "YIN HE" TO DOCK. SHA
PROBED FOR FURTHER INDICATIONS THAT THE SAUDIS, IN
FACT, ARE WILLING TO ALLOW THE "YIN HE" INTO DAMMAM AND
ANY INDICATIONS THE SAUDIS WOULD BE WILLING TO
PARTICIPATE IN A JOINT INVESTIGATION. ROY

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*** Current Handling Restrictions *** n/a
*** Current Classification *** SECRET